HOUSE RESOLUTION No. _____ Introduced by: Bardon

A RESOLUTION recognizing the National Association of Health Unit Coordinators on August 23.

Whereas, The National Association of Health Unit Coordinators was founded in 1980 by Myrna LaFleur-Brooks;

Whereas, Each year since that time, August 23 has been proclaimed Health Unit Coordinators Day by mayors, governors, and state legislative bodies throughout our nation, including the United States Congress in Washington, D.C.;

Whereas, Health unit coordinators handle everything from maintaining patient charts, scheduling diagnostic tests, ordering supplies, and transcribing doctor's orders to helping

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maintain a health care facility's service and performance;

Whereas, Health unit coordinators serve as an important link between departments, physicians, nursing staff, patients, and visitors:

Whereas, The mission statement of the National Association of Health Unit Coordinators explains that it is "dedicated to promoting health unit coordinating as a profession through education, certification, complying with the NAHUC Standard of Practice, Standards of Education, and Code of Ethics"; and

Whereas, It is fitting that this organization receive special recognition by proclaiming August 23 as Health Unit Coordinators Day: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives recognizes the many contributions made by health unit coordinators and urges that August 23 be proclaimed Health Unit Coordinators Day.

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SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the National Association of Health Unit Coordinators.

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